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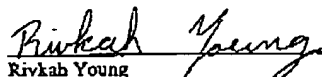
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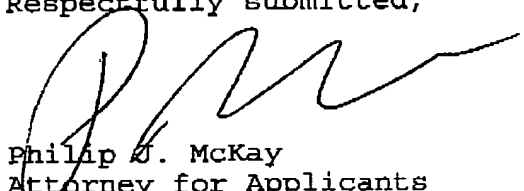
Applicants have not received a response to the Amendment that was filed on November 14, 2005 in the above application. What is the status of the above application and what is the expected date of issuance of the next official action?

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